

**WEST ARCADIA FIELD**  
**07-1436 and 07-1437**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2007**, upon the application of **SKLAR EXPLORATION COMPANY, LLC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Pettet Formation, Reservoir C and the Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir B**, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create one (1) drilling and production unit for the exploration for and the production of gas and condensate for the Pettet Formation, Reservoir C.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property within the proposed unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract to share in the unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate Sklar Exploration Co., LLC as the unit operator and the Sklar Exploration Company, LLC-Merritt et al No. 1 well as the unit well.
4. To require future wells drilled to the Pettet Formation, Reservoir C, to be located at least 1,000 feet from unit lines and 2,000 feet between wells.
5. To provide for reclassification of the reservoir if the producing characteristics should change without the necessity of a public hearing, if evidence is presented to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation to warrant such change.
6. To permit the downhole combination of the Pettet Formation, Reservoir C and the Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, in the proposed unit designated PET RC SUA and U HOSS RB SUC in any existing or future wells to be drilled on the units.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Pettet Formation was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 692-B, effective April 1, 1996.

The Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, was defined in Order No. 692, effective April 1, 1965 and was redefined in Order No. 692-A-4, effective May 1, 1981.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**